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Assistant Director, Office of Scientific
Intelligence
Assistant Director, Office of Research
and Reports
W.S.E.G. Request for a Study of the Agriculture
and Crops of the USSR

5 March 1952

1. In compliance with the request of Lieutenant General
Geoffrey Keyes, USA, Director, Weapons Systems Evaluation Group, Office
of the Secretary of Defense, ORR will prepare a study of the agriculture
and crops of the USSR. A copy of General Keyes' letter to General Smith
and a copy of the outline discussed by Dr. Allen, Dr. Millikan, and
[REDACTED] are enclosed herewith.

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2. It is requested that your office prepare parts IV and V of the
enclosed outline. In order for ORR to meet the deadline suggested by
General Keyes, it will be necessary to have this material on or about
1 April. It is hoped this will be feasible.

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3. [REDACTED] Room 2420, "M" Building, [REDACTED]
will coordinate the report. If it is possible for you to undertake the
portions of this study indicated above, it is suggested that you name
a representative of your office to work directly with [REDACTED]

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/s/
[REDACTED]
Acting Assistant Director

Enclosures:

- a. Letter to General Walter B. Smith
from Lieutenant General Geoffrey Keyes, USA,
Director, Weapons Systems Evaluation Group,
Office of the Secretary of Defense, dated 27 Feb 1952
- b. Outline on USSR Crop Study
(attachment to Lieutenant General Keyes' letter)

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